

CRM Task Group

The CRM Task Group which is the working group of the voluntary CRM program in the state, helped host the CRM Executive Group for their annual meeting and for the CRM Tour in October.

The tour was in the Kittitas valley, showing ways that CRM has been used when private land owners, other stakeholders and state and/or federal land resource agencies must come together to solve land use problems with planning efforts.

The Task Group would like to thank the Kittitas Conservation District for their fine coordination efforts and Dave Duncan for a fine meal at his sale barn.

The task group has been working hard to hire a new program coordinator. We have reviewed several applications and had interviews with seven candidates just before Christmas. It was decided that we would interview four finalists in early January (one has dropped out) and we are hoping to have a person in place by mid February.

The Task Group would like to thank Debbie Becker for her considerable efforts to help us do the job correctly.